

BACKACHE IS KIDNEYACHE

Usually There Are Other Troubles to Prove It.

Pain in the back is pain in the kidneys, in most cases, and it points to the need of a special remedy to remove and cure the congestion or inflammation of the kidneys that is interfering with their work and causing that pain that makes you say: "Oh, my back."

Thompson Watkins, professional nurse, 420 N. 23rd St., Parsons, Kan., says: "For some time I was annoyed with sharp twinges across the small of my back and in regular passages of the kidney secretions. Since using Doan's Kidney Pills, I am free from these troubles."

Remember the name—Doan's. Sold by all dealers. 50 cents a box. Foster-Milburn Co., Buffalo, N. Y.

Red Cross Christmas Stamps.
The Red Cross Christmas stamp crusade against tuberculosis promises this year to be broader in extent than ever before. While last year less than 20,000 stamps were sold, the present indications point to a sale of nearly 50,000,000 for this year.

The Red Cross stamps are issued by the American National Red Cross, and are sold for one cent each. They are designed to be placed upon letters and mail matter during the holiday season. The money derived from the sale of these stamps will be devoted to tuberculosis work in the localities in which the stamps are sold. In this manner it is expected that about \$400,000 will be realized for the campaign against tuberculosis in all parts of the United States.

Not Her First Purchase.
This is a baby story they tell out at Belmont: A woman called at a dry goods store to look at some baby dresses. The clerk showed her a line valued at five dollars each, and talked volubly about "how proud" the mother ought to be over the baby. He suggested that possibly she might want a more expensive dress.

But the mother did not seem to "enthusiasm" a bit over the clerk's gush. "How many children have you?" asked the clerk, cautiously.

"Oh, this is the eleventh," she replied, carefully scanning the price tags.

And out came a line of baby dresses with a more modest list of prices.—Kansas City Journal.

A Revelation to the Cook.
A happily married woman, who had enjoyed 33 years of wedlock, and who was the grandmother of four beautiful little children, had an amusing old colored woman for a cook.

One day when a box of especially beautiful flowers was left for the mistress the cook happened to be present, and she said: "Yo' husband send you all the pretty flowers you gits, missy?" "Certainly, my husband, mammy," proudly answered the lady.

"Glory!" exclaimed the cook. "He suttleny am holdin' out well."—Ladies' Home Journal.

An Ever Ready Opening.
The editor suddenly became conscious that some one was standing behind him. Looking round, his glance fell upon a seedy looking individual with the eyes of a crank.

"I beg your pardon," said the newcomer, "but is there an opening here for a first-class intellectual writer?" "Yes," grimly responded the editor. "An ingenious carpenter, foreseeing your visit, has provided an excellent opening. Turn the knob to the right, and do not slam the door as you go out."—The Sunday Magazine.

Not Even Sandy.
Wilford was sitting on his father's knee watching his mother arranging her hair.

"Papa hasn't any Marcel waves like that," said her father, laughingly. Wilford, looking up at his father's bald pate, replied: "Nope, no waves; it's all beach."—Columbia Jester.

RESULTS OF FOOD
Health and Natural Conditions Come From Right Feeding.

Man, physically, should be like a perfectly regulated machine, each part working easily in its appropriate place. A slight derangement causes undue friction and wear, and frequently ruins the entire system.

A well-known educator of Boston found a way to keep the brain and the body in that harmonious co-operation which makes a joy of living.

Montgomery Tribune

Chas. W. Gurney, Publisher.
MONTGOMERY CITY, MISSOURI

Football collisions simply cannot be prevented.

No one has yet detected Halley's comet with the naked eye.

In many instances automobile scorching is its own punishment.

The one business that will go without advertising is running the furnace.

Quite naturally that damaging cloudburst at Tabasco, Mex., was "hot stuff."

Game is reported scarce in Maine, but there are plenty of guides to blaze away at.

Halley's comet is beginning to look brighter, and so is general trade in this country.

Japan has possession of Korea, but it is still paying installments on the purchase price.

Something like 2,000 years ago Greece ruled the world; now it cannot rule itself.

Those who care for that sort of thing can look forward to a busy winter of pugilistic gossip.

The pemmican that has to be cut with an ax and the igloos that have to be built by the ice man will never become popular in this country.

All the freight cars in the country are in use, but the loads they carry have not been marked down so far as the ultimate consumer is concerned.

Now it is Bulgaria which is facing a crisis. The day in which some of the governments of the world do not face a crisis is a very dull one in contemporary history.

An actor in a Toronto music hall was stricken with blindness in the middle of a song. It might have been better all around had his audience been stricken with deafness.

It is announced that Count Zeppelin in planning to fly from France to New York in his dirigible. It will be a perfectly safe proposition if he does not do any more than merely to plan.

Princess Victoria Louise of Prussia has been appointed colonel of the Death's Head Hussar Regiment. This has no bearing upon the military situation in Europe. Its point lies in the fact that the princess can now wear a hussar jacket with dolman, trimmed in black astrachan and silver; a fur bushy with silver decoration; gown to correspond.

Another indication is furnished of the growth of liberalism in China. An imperial edict has been issued recognizing the forthcoming provincial assemblies. These assemblies will create the imperial assembly, charged with the duty of preparing a constitution for the nation. This is the first step taken by the government looking to actual effort in behalf of constitutionalism.

One of the big New York banks has issued a circular criticizing the designs of the latest \$20, \$10 and \$5 gold pieces, saying the coins may be artistic in appearance but are subject to abrasion to an extent which is objectionable. However, the average person into whose possession they come is not likely to object to the design so long as he can get enough of the coins.

China has made another advance toward liberal rule. The government is preparing plans for electing an imperial assembly, which will consist of an upper and a lower house. A number of provincial assemblies are already in existence, and they are giving hearty support to the government's progressive policies, including the suppression of the opium traffic. The new regime in China seems to have made a fair start.

There does not seem to be any doubt that the rainy season has begun in the Philippines. Following the destructive typhoon in Luzon 13 inches of rain fell in nine hours and 26 inches in 24 hours. There was a rise of 60 feet in the Bued river. This beats all storm records in that quarter, and also suggests what might be done in the way of conservation could that surplus water be stored up and kept against the need of a dry period.

It is not necessary for the youngsters to read dime novels to find heroes worthy of imitation. The ten-year-old New York "kid" who refused to keep quiet when burglars threatened him and who in his night dress chased the robbers until he landed them in the hands of the police is far nearer the real thing than any character that can be found in cheap literature. His exploit beat that of the ordinary "Daredevil Dick" clear out of sight.

A Greek war is deproable, not only for the blood spilled, but for the curses it provokes in the proffroom of a newspaper over the unpronounceable names.

The scientists have noticed changes on Mars which convince them that there has been a terrific convulsion on the planet, one result of which must have been to destroy all life, if any had existed there. Where is the daring aviator who will make a trip in that direction and ascertain just what has happened?

Outwit the Horse Sharper

Did you ever find a lemon in a horse's nose? How and why did it get there? Did the last horse you bought go incurably lame the next day? Do you know why? Why were his ears tied together with a fine silken thread? Perhaps you are about to buy a horse because you like his "ginger"? Are you sure it is health and high spirits, or is it ginger—commercial ginger? Are you sure you could tell the age of a horse by its teeth? Or would your experience be like that other man's, who paid \$3500 for a 17-year-old horse, thinking he was buying a 7-year-old? The horse had been "Bishoped."

Horse buying and trading offer hundreds of opportunities and temptations to use trickery and sharp practice. There is only one way to meet it:—read

"HORSE SECRETS" EXPOSED

It will protect you—will make you horse-wise and crook-proof, and save you from being cheated by dopes or tricks when buying, selling, or trading. It exposes and makes you acquainted with the tricks and handling methods of gyps and a certain class of unscrupulous dealers. Many of the secrets of this book are now made public for the first time. No such collection of Horse Trading, Horse Buying, Horse Training, and Horse Feeding information has ever before been published. It is impossible even in this large space to give a complete list of the secrets in this sensational book.

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How to Secure "Horse Secrets"

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